

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A composition consisting essentially of hair  
~~cosmetizer being characterized in that a cosmetic material including~~  
an oily material, which is solid at room ~~ordinary~~ temperature, and  
a water-soluble organic medium; ~~is the major component; and~~  
wherein the composition dissolves or disperses in water ~~it dissolves into water or~~  
~~disperses therein.~~

Claim 2 (Currently Amended): The composition of hair cosmetizer set forth in  
~~claim 1~~ claim 1, wherein said composition ~~cosmetic material~~ is in the form of a powder  
~~powdery.~~

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): The composition of hair cosmetizer set forth in claim  
1, wherein said water-soluble organic medium is carboxymethylcellulose.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended): The composition of hair cosmetizer set forth in claim  
1, wherein the composition consists essentially of said water-soluble organic medium is  
~~included~~ in a range of 10-100 parts by weight with respect to 100 parts by weight of said oily  
material.

Claim 5 (Currently Amended): ~~A hair cosmetizer being characterized in that a~~  
~~cosmetic material including an oily material, which is solid at ordinary temperature, and a~~  
~~water-soluble organic medium is the major component; and the cosmetic material is dissolved~~

~~into water or is dispersed therein~~ The composition of claim 1, wherein the composition is dissolved or dispersed in water.

Claim 6 (Currently Amended): The composition of hair cosmetizer set forth in claim 5, wherein said oily material is rosin.

Claim 7 (Currently Amended): The composition of hair cosmetizer set forth in claim 5, wherein said water-soluble organic medium is carboxymethylcellulose.

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): The composition of hair cosmetizer set forth in claim 5, wherein the composition consists essentially of said water-soluble organic medium is included in a range of 10-100 parts by weight with respect to 100 parts by weight of said oily material.

Claim 9 (Withdrawn-Currently Amended): A process for producing the composition of claim 1, the process comprising being for producing a hair cosmetizer, in which a cosmetic material including an oily material, which is solid at ordinary temperature, and a water-soluble organic medium is the major component; and it dissolves into water or disperses therein, the hair cosmetizer production process being characterized in that:

mixing the oily material, in a heat melted state, with the water-soluble organic medium, in a powdery state, to form a heated mixture,

cooling the heated mixture to form a cooled mixture, and

pulverizing the cooled mixture to form the composition a material, which includes a heat-melted oily material and a powdery water-soluble organic medium, is mixed to prepare a

~~mixture, and the mixture is formed as a powdery shape by pulverizing it after cooling it to solidify.~~

Claim 10. (Withdrawn-Currently Amended): The process for ~~producing a hair~~  
~~cosmetizer set forth in~~ of claim 9, wherein ~~the said powdery~~ water-soluble organic medium in  
the powdery state is in the form of particles, and wherein the ~~is such that the~~ average particle  
diameter of the particles is 180  $\mu\text{m}$  or less.

Claim 11 (New): A method of making the composition of claim 5, the method  
comprising, dissolving or dispersing, in water, a composition consisting essentially of  
an oily material, which is solid at room temperature, and  
a water-soluble organic medium.

Claim 12 (New): The composition of claim 5, wherein the composition is dissolved  
in water.

Claim 13 (New): The composition of claim 5, wherein the composition is dispersed  
in water.

Claim 14 (New): The method of claim 11, wherein the method comprises the  
dissolving in water.

Claim 15 (New): The method of claim 11, wherein the method comprises the  
dispersing in water.

Claim 16 (New): The composition of claim 4, wherein the composition consists essentially of said water-soluble organic medium in 10 parts by weight with respect to 100 parts by weight of said oily material.

Claim 17 (New): The composition of claim 4, wherein the composition consists essentially of said water-soluble organic medium in 100 parts by weight with respect to 100 parts by weight of said oily material.

Claim 18 (New): The composition of claim 1, wherein the water-soluble organic medium is wax.

Claim 19 (New): The composition of claim 1, wherein the water-soluble organic medium is animal fat.

Claim 20 (New): The composition of claim 1, wherein the water-soluble organic medium is Vaseline.